IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF TENNESSEE EASTERN DIVISION

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TERRY L. CHARLTON)	
Plaintiff,)	
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VS.)	No. 04-1290-T/An
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TENNESSEE DEPARTMENT OF)	
CORRECTION, ET AL.,)	
)	
Defendants.)	

ORDER FOR PLAINTIFF TO SHOW CAUSE

Plaintiff Terry L. Charlton, an inmate at the Whiteville Correctional Facility in Whiteville, Tennessee, filed a complaint pursuant to 42 U.S.C. § 1983. On February 18, 2005, the Court dismissed certain claims and defendants, and ordered that process be issued for the remaining defendants, Corrections Corporation of America ("CCA") and Dr. F. Cole. CCA was served with process on March 4, 2005 and responded to the complaint by filing a motion to dismiss on March 21, 2005. Defendant Cole was served on February 25, 2005 but has filed neither an answer nor a motion to dismiss.

Although Cole has failed to respond to the complaint in accordance with the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure, plaintiff has taken no further action with regard to this defendant.

Therefore, plaintiff is hereby ORDERED to show cause, within 20 days after the entry of this order, why his claims against defendant Cole should not be dismised for failure to prosecute.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

JAMES D. TODD

UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

29 August 2005



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Honorable James Todd US DISTRICT COURT